

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
	: Examiner: Shih Wen Hsieh
YASUHIKO IKEDA ET AL.	)
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## **AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE**

Sir:

## A. Introductory Comments

The above-noted application having been allowed, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be made to the specification.